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FOLLOWING ANSWERS KEYED TO PARAGRAPH NUMBERS IN REFTEL:

1. GRZ PERMITS UNRESTRICTED COMMERCIAL BANK TRANSFERS
OF FUNDS LESS THAN KWACHA 20,000 TO RHODESIA AND SOUTH AFRICA
FOR: A) EDUCATION PURPOSES; B) REMITTANCE PAYMENTS OF WORKERS
ON CONTRACTS SIGNED PRIOR JANUARY 10, 1973; AND C) PAYMENTS
FOR IMPORTS FROM BOTH SOUTH AFRICAN AND RHODESIA.
CONTROLLING FACTOR ON IMPORTS IS LICENSES ISSUED BY
MINTRADE ON CASE-BY-CASE BASIS. FO ALL OTHER
REMITTANCES/PAYMENTS, BANK OF ZAMBIA MUST APPROVE
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TRANSACTIONS.

2. COMMERCIAL BANKS MAKE PAYMENTS BY NORMAL BANK TRANSFER TO RHODESIA/SOUTH AFRICA BANKS AFTER OBTAINING BANK OF ZAMBIA APPROVAL WHERE NECESSARY.

3. NO RPT NO RHODESIAN OFFICIALS PRESENT IN ZAMBIA. AND GRZ UNLIKELY EVER ACCEPT SUCH PRESENCE. MINIMAL UNPUBLICIZED CONTACTS MAINTAINED AT BORDER POINTS CHIRUNDU, LIVINGSTONE IN EMERGENCIES (TOURIST SHOOTING AFTERMATH), AND FOR HANDLING RAIL TRAFFIC TRANSITING ZAMBIA FOR ZAIRE. WHILE NOT RPT NOT GOVERNMENTAL ORGANIZATION, CENTRAL AFRICAN POWER COMPANY OPERATES GRID SPANNING RHODESIA/ZAMBIA AND ITS OFFICIALS IN BOTH COUNTRIES EXCHANGE BUSINESS VISITS FREQUENTLY. WILKOWSKI

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